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In re

Patent Application of

Dan M. Ionel, et al.,

Application No. 10/625,926

Confirmation No.: 9481

Filed: July 24, 2003

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"BRUSHLESS PERMANENT MAGNET MACHINE WITH REDUCED COGGING AND TORQUE RIPPLE AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME"

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

| | | CLAIN | IS AS AMENDED | | | |
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| (1) | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | (3) | (4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | (6) RATE | (7) ADDITIONAL FEE |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 34 | MINUS | 31 | 3 | X \$18 | 54.00 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 5 | MINUS | 4 | 1 | X \$86 | 86.00 |
| | • | • | TOTAL ADDITION FOR THIS AMEND | | 140.00 | |

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Respectfully submitted,

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to the examination of the application, please amend the application as follows.

- Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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